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Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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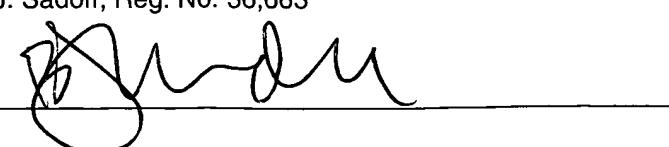
Other: Copies of the following: Response to Correct Defects in International Application w/Sequence
 Listing in PCT/US99/17678 dated November 19, 1999 and copy of postcard receipt; February 15, 2000
 Response to Telephonic Request in PCT/US99/17678 and copy of Sequence Listing; Letter w/paper and
 computer-readable Sequence Listing; copy of Notification of Missing Requirements ; and copy of
 Notification to Comply

TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$ 0.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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RESPONSE

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated July 30, 2001, attached is a further copy of the computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed in the International Stage on February 15, 2000 and November 19, 1999. Also attached are copies of the February 15, 2000, and November 19, 1999, filings as well as the undersigned's postcard receipt indicating the November 19, 1999, filing was received by the U.S. Patent Office as the PCT Receiving Office. Accordingly, as the present application is a U.S. national phase of PCT/US99/17678, no further computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing should be required. The attached computer-readable and paper copies of the Sequence Listing however are provided for the convenience of the Office. No new matter has been added. The Office is requested to contact the undersigned if anything further is required in this regard.

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The attached paper and computer-readable copies of the Sequence Listing are the same as the paper copy of the Sequence Listing filed in the International Stage. A separate Letter to this effect is attached.

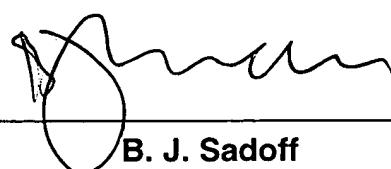
A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements and a copy of the Notification to Comply dated July 30, 2001, are attached.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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